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1. Meszhart has ordered an unspecified number of motorships and tankers to be built in the DDSG shipyards at Korneuburg and Freudenau.

2. Korneuburg Shipyards

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Work on a 650 ton tanker began [redacted] A further task in hand is the fitting of a Jendrassik engine into a large ship the hull of which was recently towed from Budapest with the engine on board. The rigging out of the ship also began [redacted] 50X

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3. Freudensau Shipyards

Two ships are being built at these shipyards, a fire tender and a motorship. The hulls of these ships are completed, and are ready to receive the engines and other equipment. Two Meszhart ship engines are also being repaired in the shipyards. The construction of a floating workshop is being considered.

4. The control of all Meszhart technical work in the Korneuburg and Freudenau shipyards comes under Kalman Janda, works manager, who was sent from Budapest by the Meszhart directorate. His primary task is to supervise construction work and inspect raw materials and finished products. 50

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